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Subject: **REQUEST FOR REFUND TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**
Deposit Account No. 14-1140
Statement Date: May, 2003
Date Posted: 5/01/2003
Seq: 134; Posting Ref Txt: 09890160
Fee Code: 1806; \$180.00
Our Ref.: 427-44

To whom it may concern:

Regarding the Monthly Statement of Deposit Account dated May, 2003, (copy attached), we believe there is a fee related error therein, which has resulted in a charge to our Deposit Account that appears to be unwarranted. Please refer to the following explanation and issue a refund as soon as possible.

An Information Disclosure Statement was filed in this case on April 30, 2003 prior to receipt of an Action in the above-identified application. Enclosed is a copy of the postcard receipt indicating receipt of same in the PTO. Since no Action has yet been received in this case, the erroneously charged fee of \$180 should be credited to our account.

Thank you for your time and assistance, and if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at the above number.

Very truly yours,

NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.

By: _____

Arthur R. Crawford

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Enclosure



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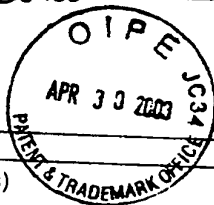
Requested Statement Month: May 2003
 Deposit Account Number: 141140
 Name: NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.
 Attention: LENARD MITCHARD
 Address: 1100 N GLEBE ROAD
 City: ARLINGTON
 State: VA
 Zip: 22201-4714

DATE	SEQ	POSTING REF TXT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NBR	FEE CODE	AMT	BAL
05/01	3	10265097	540-360 SCS	9204	-\$40.00	\$20,224.98
05/01	89	10415242	3665-50 BJS	1615	\$144.00	\$20,080.98
05/01	134	09890160	✓ 427-44 APC	1806	\$180.00	\$19,900.98 - <i>later</i>
05/02	1	10254514	2018-607 ML	1251	\$110.00	\$19,790.98
05/02	38	09722421	723-953 RWT	1806	\$180.00	\$19,610.98
05/02	501	10362414	1410-806 JRL	8021	\$40.00	\$19,570.98
05/05	8	10086449	3593-29 RWT	1252	\$410.00	\$19,160.98
05/05	29	10192319	34-117	1803	\$130.00	\$19,030.98
05/05	30	10192319	34-117 ML	1505	\$300.00	\$18,730.98
05/05	52	10367906	620-244 BJS	9204	-\$459.00	\$19,189.98
05/05	208	2099986 *		9204	-\$200.00	\$19,389.98
05/05	340	5064417	✓ 3946-51 APC	9204	-\$1,575.00	\$20,964.98 - <i>Dec</i>
05/06	1	10328185	1417-418 APC	1201	\$168.00	\$20,796.98
05/06	18	10366694	47-190 LCM	2201	\$42.00	\$20,754.98
05/06	101	1006273 *	✓ 405096	8008	\$400.00	\$20,354.98
05/07	2	09152266	540-127 SCS	1201	\$168.00	\$20,186.98
05/07	6	09459643	2018-273 ML	9204	-\$18.00	\$20,204.98
05/07	16	PCT/US01/03235	737-221 MJK	9204	-\$16.00	\$20,220.98
05/08	51	10430326	839-1408 MJK	1201	\$84.00	\$20,136.98
05/08	87	10221362	2810-27 ML	1806	\$180.00	\$19,956.98
05/09	1	09463643	✓ 1925-178 APC	1201	\$168.00	\$19,788.98 - <i>OK</i>
05/09	2	10363061	✓ 613-69 APC	1615	\$126.00	\$19,662.98 - <i>OK</i>
05/09	5	10049058	2111-25 LSN	2609	-\$305.00	\$19,967.98
05/09	7	10049058	2111-25	9204	-\$50.00	\$20,017.98
05/09	41	10306843	4090-2 LSN	2051	\$21.00	\$19,996.98



Serial No.: 09/890160
Applicant: Kimura et al
Title: Soft Candies its
Production Method
Atty: ARE
Date: 4/30/03
Client:
Ref: 427.44

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Other: IDS, Pto 1449 & 7 references